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Home (1940) Department.

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G.O. No. 5256

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Dated 23-12-1940

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Order at page 28-29

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[Despatch Abstract.]

2.

Jails - Alipuram Jail - Establish-
ment - Sweeping - Sanctioned

C.F. 32 (a). STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL: Jail DEPARTMENT.

In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Received *Registered*

From (Name) Lt.Col.S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.

(Designation) Inspector-General of Prisons,

Post Box, (Station) Madras.

Telegraphic Address

To

H. R. Dogra, Esq., B.Sc.,
Chief Engineer, General Building
& Roads, Madras

No. S.3/40., *dated* 4th October 1940.

Sir,

*Sub: Works - Alipuram Jail Buildings -
Special repairs and improvements t

Enclosures

REF: Your D.O.No.2451 Ac/40-7 dated
22nd September1940.

Spare Copies

I find from your D.O. under refe
rence that quarters for the following subordi-
nates have been omitted. Kindly therefore ar-
range to provide them with quarters.

(Sd) S.C. Contractor.

Lieut.-Col. I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

P.T.O.

2 Sub Assistant Surgeons.

1 Compounder.

[redacted]

1 Electrician.

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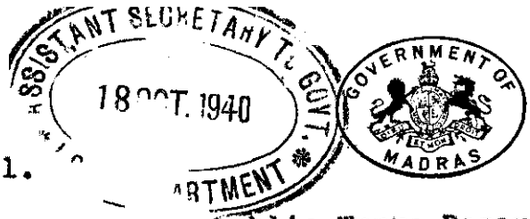

Public Works Department.

Memorandum No.4525 C/40-3, dated 18th October 1940.

Buildings - Jails - Bellary - Plassey Barracks - (Alipuram jail buildings) - Electrification of certain blocks.

Ref:- From the Chief Engineer (General, Buildings and Roads) No.3263 Wks/40-18, dated 14-10-40.

The proposal of the Chief Engineer (General, Buildings & Roads) to electrify certain blocks of the Plassey Barracks, Bellary, at a cost of Rs 4,160/- (Rupees four thousand one hundred and sixty only) is approved.

2. The consolidated estimate referred to in paragraph 1 of the above letter, together with proposals for the provision of funds should be submitted at a very early date.

For Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer (with plans and estimates)
(Gl. Bldgs. & Roads)

Copy to the Chief Engineer (Electricity)

.. Home Department.

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JAIL **DEPARTMENT.**

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Received ..... 19 *Registered* 3 DEC 1940

HOME SECRETARY GOVT OF MADRAS

Subject.

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Political agitation - Civil Disobedience Movement Prisoners - Concentration in the Old Alipuram Jail - Subordinate staff -

Reference: MacEwen's D.O.No.26107/C-8, dated 28th November 1940.

ENCLOSURES.
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No. S3/40

Station Madras, *Dated the* 2nd December, 1940.

From (Name) Lieut-Col.S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Inspector General of Prisons

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
HOME Department.

Sir,

I furnish below the subordinate staff required for the Old Alipuram Jail on the assumption that only 600 prisoners will be accommodated there. If, however, it is necessary to increase the staff when the Jail is actually run, necessary proposals will be submitted later

(1) Jailer	...	1
(2) Deputy Jailer	...	1
(3) Reserve Deputy Jailer	...	1
(4) Chief Head Warder	...	1
(5) Reserve Head Warder	...	1
(6) Gate Keeper	...	1
(7) First Grade Warders	...	5
(8) Second Grade Warders	...	55
(9) Sub Assistant Surgeons	...	2
(10) Compounder	...	1
(11) Wireman	...	1

usual scale

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(2) Upper Division clerk ... 1
(13) Lower Division clerks ... 4 } usual scale of pay.

If it is found necessary to accommodate more prisoners, the additional staff required will be applied for.

Lieut-Col., I.M.S.,
Inspector General of Prisons.

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Home Dept

T. M.

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From the Under. Secretary to Govt.

Issued 3/12

To the Sd. Officers.

PHH-574

Reference your letter 1083/40 dt 2-12-40 regarding staff for the Alipuram Jail Bellary.

Please state the scale of pay proposed for the wireman and the house rent allowance, if any, that should be sanctioned in lieu of rent free quarters for those subordinates who are entitled to it and for whom quarters will not be available.

P.C

KD. 3-12-40

PM 3-12-40.

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O.F. 304—46,838 Bks.—10- 2-38

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OFFICE OF THE _____

Dated _____ 193

_____ Hours _____ Minutes.

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE

From D.F of Russ.

To Us House.

Alipuram Tail in pursuants to Staff Provision of Queries Ref. your T M d 3-12-40 pb amt

The wireman may be given in the Same Scale of Pay as that of the wireman of the C-V Railway namely 28-4/2-36-3/2-45

Provision has been made to provide Quarters for all the members of the Staff including to Supdt

G.P. 304—46,838 Bks—19-12-38.

OFFICE OF THE

Dated _____ 193

Hours Minutes.

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE

From

To

except for the Clerks.
The Clerks are also not
eligible for rent free Quarters.
The Question of Payment of
House rent also does
not therefore arise
Commissioner is not
entitled for Quarters but it is
very essential that he should
be near his Trial

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Home Dptmt.

Subject
Pol. Prisoners -
C.D. Movement -
Accommodation of
prisoners at Alipuram

Note for Secy.,P.W.

In connection for prisoners,in the event of a C.D. movement,Adv.3 has noted,on my suggestion that we might use Alipuram Jail:—

"Adv.2.has already issued orders for urgent re-pair of available buildings. But we would have to get barbed wire".

If possible,may I see the file to which Adv.3 refers,or,if that is inconvenient,have a brief note of whether Adv.2's orders were intended for Home's purpose ,as above,or not?

16.9.40.

P.W.D

File below. Estimates are awaited

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Home Dptmt.

US.

Home Secy

I've noted on P.W.'s file that (i) the matter may be dealt with v. urgently,C.E. being made to produce the estimates this week,and (ii) P.W. might make sure that the buildings are the right ones, i.e.,the 'Alipuram Central Jail' in the blue print in G section. There seems to be some confusion on the point.

16.9.40.

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Home Department.

D.O. No.24728 C-4. Dated 17th September 1940.

My dear Col. Contractor,

Reference Political Agitation - Civil Disobedience Movement - Accommodation of prisoners.

In continuation of my D.O. of yesterday's date I am to say that the Government are considering the question of repairing the Alipuram Central jail to provide for accommodation of Civil Disobedience prisoners who cannot be accommodated in Vizagapatam and Trichinopoly. I am to ask you to examine the question of the minimum subordinate staff that will be necessary for 600 prisoners who will be accommodated there. The Chief Engineer has been asked to inspect the buildings at Alipuram and to report urgently what repairs will be necessary. I am to say, however, that the blocks which will be reserved for these prisoners wil be in a compact area. Your proposals may be worked out both on the assumption that there will be an electrified fence and a non-electrified barbed wire fence. Any other incidental points which you think require attention may also be raised.

Yours sincerely,

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Lt. Col. S.C. Contractor, I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons,
Madras.

Despatched 17/9

Sectt. II-52—3,006—20-12-38.

Department.

Routine notes [which are not to be (*a*) sent out of the office or (*b*) included in the originals or proceedings unless the notes are specially marked for retention or (*c*) printed].

Subject of file.

Jail accomodation for C.D. prisoners.

(1) On Alipuram,it is for information that A dv.2 had the C.E. P.W.Secy. and myself in this afternoon,over repairs; C.E. is going up at once to see about it. I told A dv.2 that Home's points are that

(i) that(Vizag. figure subtracted from possible total) we might need accomodation for c.600 to start with,and staff quarters for Supt.,higher subords. and about 60 warders;I had to produce the last figure on a rough estimate,and jails vary so much over the proportion of warders to convicts that I couldn't do better than strike a rough average;

(ii) water supply may be looked at;

(iii)if we want the accomodation,we'll want it very urgently;C.E. says he can rush the work through in a month;I told A dv.2 that a fortnight is more like it,for us;

(iv) we'll want complete wiring-in,and,if we are to save patrolling staff,electrifying of the wire;

(v) industries need not worry us much,to start with at least;what we need is accomodation for prisoners & staff.

(vi) we should have a compact block,so sited,of the existing dilapidated buildings,that we can reach out and take in more of them if we have to expand;I gave C.E.,on the plan, an indication of the sort of thing we want,and Adv.2 agreed.

(2) On Supts. for C.D. prisoners;I see,in the main file,that I suggested the advisability of moving Balasubrahmanyan from Vizag.,Adv. did not pass any orders then. Would he consider it? My idea was based on the idea,which we then had,that we might have to take in Royalusami at Trichy,and I suggested sending

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Howe from Trichy to Vizag. But as things are at present, we don't need Royalusami, unless the Commr turn down Yusuf (file sent up tonight); I don't know if Adv. would consider sending Howe to Vizag., Balas'n to Cuddalore or Trichy, acc. as we are successful or not with Yusuf, and the new man (Yusuf? Royalusami? S nell?) to Trichy or Cudd., as the case may be. The only point that worries me is that, if we are going to change the Vizag. man, we ought to do it soon.

There is also the matter of Alipuram, IF we are obliged to open it; I gather the C. Jail at Bellary is only half a mile or so from Alipuram, but I doubt if we could put the C. Jail man in extra charge, except as an emergency measure to start with; I think Howe ran the Mappilla show at Alip., and that is always a possible choice.

If Adv. has any tentative ideas and would like to put them down, I'll keep his notes by me for ref. when the points come up.

17.9.40.

Adv. 3.

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M.S. Pl. see this by you, S.C.

19.9.40.

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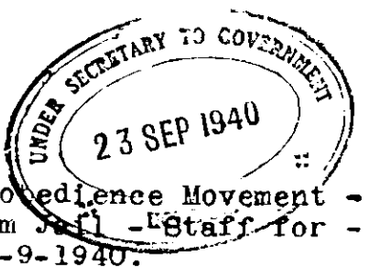
Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons,
Mount Road, M a d r a s, dated 21-9-1940.

D.O.No.S-3/40.



My dear Jayarajan,

POLITICAL AGITATION - Civil Disobedience Movement - Prisoners - Accommodation of - Alipuram Jail - Staff for - Ref:- Your D.O. No.24728-C-4, dated 17-9-1940.

I furnish below the subordinate staff that will be required for the Alipuram Jail on the assumption that only 600 prisoners will be accommodated there.

Jailor	1	
Deputy Jailor	1	
Reserve Dy. Jailor	1	
Chief Head warder	1	
Reserve Head warder	1	
Gate keeper	1	
Sub Asstt. Surgeons	2	
Compounder	1	
Clerks	4	(one upper division and three lower division clerks)

As regards the warder staff I may say that about 60 warders may be required. This number depends on the lay out of the blocks, kitchen, workshop, Hospital etc. I shall consult the Chief Engineer after he inspects the site and furnish the exact number of warders required (1) if the fence around the jail is electrified, and (2) if a non-electrified fence is put up.

Quarters for the members of the staff, electrification of the jail and water supply have to be worked out. I shall send a detailed report after consulting the Chief Engineer.

Yours sincerely,

P.M. Jayarajan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Under Secretary to Government,
Home Department, Fort St. George, Madras.

Pl. see the I.G's D.O. on p.s. ante.

This + (E + PH) may see the Brit and P.W.

letter & the I.G's further report awaited

It is for consideration whether I.G. may be asked to enter into correspondence now with the S.G. to arrange for the transfer of 2 Sub Ast. Surgeons at short notice if and when required. The hospital will also need equipment. The D.T.O may perhaps be asked to submit proposals through the S.G. & I.G now so that there may be no delay. It is presumed that the I.G will be able to find the jailor staff & ministerial staff at short notice from his other jails. Formal orders sanctioning the posts will come if it is found necessary to use the jail.

Re the strengths of the staff, except for the warder staff which will be reviewed when I.G. has the C.E's report all the others seem necessary & the strengths may be approved, though it is not clear why the I.G. wants 2 S.A.S when Nadiad & Viramgam C.J. & Bellary C.J. have only one jail. The total accommodation in their jails is 670 & 715 respectively

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S.

Action on points in U.S.'s note depends on Govt's estimate of the situation generally;more immediately important--and in continuation of my para (1),p.1 above--is the matter of the number of prisoners,and of taking up Alipuram; I have just seen and noted on the P.W. file on the repairs to Alip. that Adv.2 ordered. In it,I've noted that 600 prisoners may be taken as the basic figure for the present(it was on the assumption that we would get about 1300,of whom 700 would go to Vizag.),and I've asked that Adv.3 should be included in circulation.

C.S. tells me that shroffing by C.I.D. indicates something more like 850 than 1300 prisoners. If so, though we can't possibly stuff them all into Vizag., we COULD manage with Trichy civ. debtors yard,which I have already proposed as something up our sleeve;it could take 300. But that would mean that,if the movement expanded and we wanted decidedly more room than for 850,we would,after all,have to look round urgently for yet another "annexe" to Vizag.--and we could not get Alip. done in a moment. It seems better to get on with that and be really easy about the future;but perhaps Adv. will keep these notes by him,pending the arrival of Public's file on the list.

HOME SECRETARIAT
26 SEP 1940
GOVT OF MADRAS

4/24.9.40.

Adv.3.

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Office of the
Inspector General of Prisons,
Mount Road, Madras,
Dated 5th October, 1940.

My dear Jayarajan,

Subject: Political Agitation - Civil Disobedience Movement Prisoners - Accommodation for - Alipuram Jail - Staff required -

Reference: Your D.O.No.24728 C-4, dated 17th September, 1940.

I am of the opinion that the 60 warders asked for in my D.O.No.S-3/40, dated 21st September 1940 may be sufficient, if the fence is electrified. In case it is decided not to electrify the fence, I think the same number of warders may be tried. However, if after trial the warder staff is found to be inadequate, the question of increasing the warder staff can be taken up then as I presume that the additional warders that may be required may not be many. I am enclosing a list of duties for the 60 warders.

In addition to the staff asked for in my D.O.No.S-3/40, dated 21st September, 1940, I think one Electrician or Wireman is required. I have omitted the teaching staff, as I do not think it is necessary.

The Chief Engineer has dealt with the question fully in his D.O.No.2451 Ac/40-7, dated 22nd September 1940 to Mr. Ramuni Menon. I am enclosing a copy of my letter to the Chief Engineer for your information.

Yours sincerely,

P.M. Jayarajan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Under Secretary to Government,
Home Department, Madras.

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List of duties of the 60 warders.

Guard officers	2	(I	Grade Warders)
Sentries	3	II	"
Reserve guard	3	II	"
Between gate	4	II	"
Day sentries outside at 3 posts fence	9	II	"

Inside

Day kitchen	1	II	"
Tappal orderly	1	II	"
Bazaar orderly	1	II	"
Blocks three, 3 in each	9	II	"
Assistant Tower Officer	1	I	"
Bugler	1	II	"
History Ticket warder	1	I	"
Superintendent's orderly	1	II	"
Ration Store	1	II	"
Hospital	1	II	"
Workshop	1	I	"

Gangs:

Superintendent's gang	1	II	"
Thoty gang	1	II	"
Inside Sanitary squad	1	II	"

Subordinate quarters' gang

Upper subordinate	1	II	"
Warder staff	1	II	"
Tell-tale officers	4	II	"
Leave and sick reserve	3	II	"
Off-duty	8	II	"

Total number of warders.

I Grade Warders	5
II	55
Total	60

* Essential duties

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Please see the notes on page 6 ante and the I.G.s D.O. on page 10 ante. The I.G. does not wish to revise his original estimate of 60 warders even if the fence is electrified. The staff is only for the 600x prisoners which it is proposed to accommodate in blocks 15, 16 and 17 (see blue print) The question whether blocks 8, 9 and 10 were also required was raised recently and this dept suggested that these too could be repaired.

The IG has also asked the CE to make provision for the quarters of 1 electrician 1 compounder and 2 Sub Asst surgeons. The first depends on whether the jail is to have an electrified fence or not and if the former we may agree with the I.G. that an electrician will be necessary.

It has already been noted that there does not seem to be any necessity for 2 S.A.S. If it is found necessary to use blocks 8, 9 and 10 then the I.G may ask for another S.A.S. The I.G's request to provide for accomodation for 2 S.A.S may be allowed to stand. For orders whether P.W. E.PH and Fin may see now for remarks.

I doubt me that there is anything definite ready for them to see, at present.

7.10.40

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HOME DEPARTMENT.

Extract of ~~minutes~~ notes from C.No.26107-C.

Public Dept

At the moment, practically all ~~xxxx~~ satyagrahis are being prosecuted and thusbecome D. of I convicts - magistrates are being advised to prosecute in preference to arresting under sec.129 for detention under sec.26 - but there may be just a few such cases.

2. It is quite impossible to estimate the number of possible prisoners or how the movement will spread - the present idea is that there will be 400 or so representative satyagrahis but reports have come in from a couple of districts of others coming out.

T.A.
6.11.

If Adv. has no objection I'd be glad to go through the whole position, from a jail point of view- bringing U.S. who has up to date progress reports on accommodation and population. If he agrees, I will come when summoned.

A.R.M.
26.11.40

Vizag. may be dropped for Alipuram. Trichy & Alipuram to be made ready quickly: in ~~the~~ meantime Vellore to be used for detenues and D.of I.convicts.

T.A.
27.11.

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COL.FDL.

GM Dom 2610/(-8)

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HOME DEPARTMENT.

D.O.No. d/

My dear Cl.Contractor,

Ref: My D.O.S.68-2/40 dated 16.7.40 communicating the draft G.O. on the accommodation of civil disobedience prisoners.

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I am to say that Govt. have now decided to drop the previous proposal to set apart the Vizagapatam C.J. for the accommodation of civil disobedience prisoners in the event of a mass movement and have decided to accommodate these prisoners in the old Alipuram Jail which is now being repaired and will, it is hoped, be ready by the second week of December.

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2. I am to invite attention to your D.O.No..S.3.40 dated 21.9.40 and 5.10.40 and to ask you to submit revised proposal on the staff required for Alipuram jail. The staff may be worked out on the assumption that 600 will be accommodated there at first. If it is necessary to accommodate more prisoners, the addl. staff can be sanctioned later on. It is possible that some prisoners of Defence of India as well as "satyagrahis" ~~as the civil disobedience prisoners~~ may be accommodated together in Alipuram in which case it may be necessary to utilise all the available accommodation (1,200) at Alipuram.

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3. I am also ~~further~~ to invite your attention to Memo.No.S.402-I/40 dated 19.11.40 and to say that those orders stand as the great majority of the Congress "satyagrahis" are at present bein

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dealt with under the Defence of India Act and when convicted under that Act should be treated ~~just~~ like ~~any~~ other convictsunder the Act. For the present any over-crowding in Vellore C.J. due to the delay in transfer of the D.of I convicts in that jail to Trichy. civil debtors' yard should be dealt with by transfer of ordinary prisoners from Vellore to other jails, if really necessary. A certain amount of over-crowding is inevitable and must be put up with during the short period ~~till~~ while Trichy. civil debtors' yard is made ready. I am also to request you to expedite your proposals called for in para.3 of Home Dept.No.402-1/40 dated 19.11.40.

Yours sincerely.

(Sd A.R.17)

Lt.Col.S.C.Contractor, ~~MXBXIXXXXX~~,
M.B., I.M.S.,
I.G. of Prisons.

(Dupd - see CM.2(107(c))

ff 4-5 CF

From the Dy. of Prisons No. S3 '40 dy 2.12.40.
Desired T. M. dy 3.12.40 to the Dy. of Prisons.
T. M. from the Dy. of Prisons. dy 4.12.40.

Please see A + B ante. The proposals of the Dy. of Prisons regarding the subordinate staff required for the Alipuram jail, Bellary, are on ff 4-5 CF (Urgent Copy) All of them will be provided with quarters. It will be rent free in the case of the executive officers & the usual rent will be collected from the rest.

A on ff 7-8 CF
No. 11 (8) in the file ff 1-4 CF

~~It may be sent to Trichinopoly for remarks.~~ 2 The staff recommended may be sanctioned for a period of one year to start with. It may be considered whether two Sub-Asst Surgeons are necessary from the very beginning. Please see the H.S's note at A on page 6 ante and B on p 12 ante. It is presumed that a non-medical Supdt will be posted to the Alipuram jail and that the D.M.O, Bellary will be the medical officer of the jail. He will be entitled to an allowance for the medical charge. It is for orders whether an allowance of Rs 50 a month may be sanctioned. This is the amount sanctioned to the D.M.O's of

VCD 5.12.40.

* ff 4 CF

Only one may sanctioned at first. RJ

Dr. [illegible] Bellary, in addition to his pay, draws an allowance of Rs 50/- a month)

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Vizagapatam, South Arcot, Tanjore ~~and~~ Madura and Tinnevelly for the medical charge of jails or Borstal Schools in those districts. For the medical charge of other Central jails, D.M.Os are given an allowance of Rs 100 a month if they are I.M.S officers and Rs 75 a month if they are non-I.M.S officers. If the post of D.M.O, Bellary is one reserved for I.M.S officers, the sanction of the Secy of State should be obtained for granting the allowance. The allowance may however, be ~~sanctioned~~ granted by the Provl Govt in anticipation of sanction.

all this does not arise now
PJ

3 The remarks of P.W.D, E.P.H & Finance may be invited on the proposals for staff in the Alipuram jail.

PJ
5/04/60.

In order to have everything cut and dried in case we do have to use Alipuram, it is submitted that PW, EPH & Fin may see now and a draft order prepared and kept ready for use just as we have done for the censoring staff necessary.

Yes - you can prepare draft and let departments reply.
PJ 6/4/60

6/4/60
S.

Q.4 25

Please see orders at the reverse

A draft order is submitted. The Alipuram jail was treated as a Central jail before it was abolished in April 1932. It may be so treated now also with reference to rule 2 of the P & R. manual. The draft may go to P.W.D, E.P.H and Finance for acceptance or remarks.

KCS 6/12/40.

for 7.12.40

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PW.

EPH.

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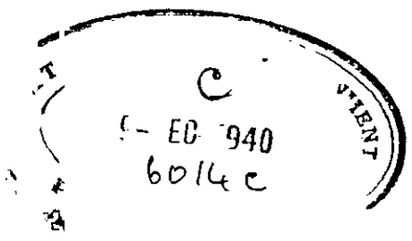

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The draft may be accepted and the file passed on to E & P.H

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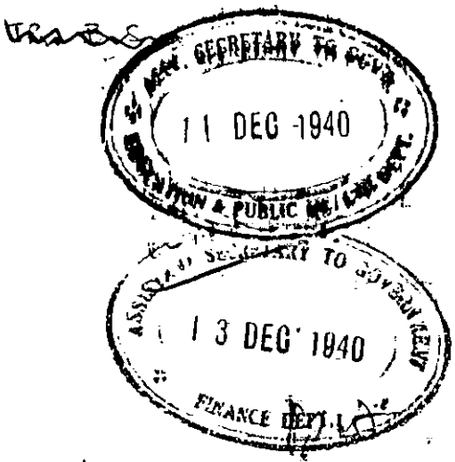

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May be accepted and passed on to Finance u/o.

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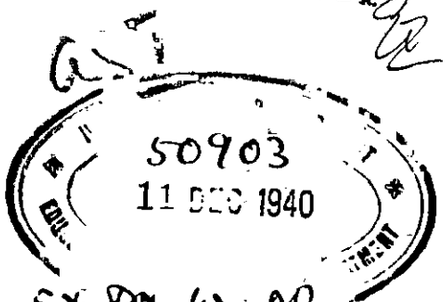

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12.12.40

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Fin.

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Finance(E-I).

[Notes from p.16 ante alone need be seen.]

It has been decided to provide accommodation for 600 Civil Disobedience prisoners in the old Alipuram Jail which is being repaired and improved for the purpose. The Home Department propose to sanction the following staff temporarily for a period of one year or till the need therefor ceases, whichever is earlier, when the Alipuram Jail begins to function:-

	Average cost p.m. Rs
1 Superintendent on Rs 200-680	362.1
1 Jailer on Rs 165--280	234
1 Dy. Jailer on Rs 70-125	99.33
1 Reserve Deputy Jailer	55
1 Chief Head Warder on Rs 35--55	47
1 Reserve Head Warder on Rs 28-35	32.2
1 Gatekeeper on Rs 35--55	47
5 First Grade Warders on Rs 24-28(Av.26 26/45)	132.9
55 Second Grade Warders (16-21½)(Av. 19.1)	1050.5
1 Sub-Asst. Surgeon on Rs 65-160	107.22
1 Compounder on Rs 28-40	33.33
1 U.D. Clerk on Rs 55-70	65.75
4 L.D. Clerks on Rs 30-55	168.33
1 Wireman on Rs 28--45	38.2
	2472.86 or
	Rs 29,674 per annum

2. The only item which calls for remarks is the clerical staff:- Recently the Govt. sanctioned the employment of 2 temporary L.D. Clerks (with Central Jail, Vellore) to attend to the work of the 60 Defence of India prisoners detained there. Judging by that standard, the demand for 1 U.D. and 4 L.D. Clerks may be accepted in Finance. But this department may suggest that in the event of the Defence of India prisoners now detained in the Vellore Jail, being transferred to Alipuram the services of 2 clerks already sanctioned for the former

former jail should be dispensed with.

3. Funds. As the proposal involves, among others, the employment of an officer of Gazetted rank, and as the total cost thereof exceeds the limit of Rs 2,500 per annum it has to be treated as a "New Service". The Home Department may be requested to obtain the orders of all the Advisers and H.E. the Governor before actually sanctioning the staff. They will also have to obtain the authorisation of H.E. the Governor to a supplementary appropriation in due course.

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A and B on p 21 ante.

The two temply clerks referred to who are employed in the Vellore jail were sanctioned to deal with accounts and correspondence relating to detenus and not Def. of India prisoners. It is not proposed to transfer detenus to any other jail the clerical staff asked for by the D.G may be sanctioned without modification. The staff mentioned in the draft order is proposed to be sanctioned for a lock up of 600 prisoners. As it has been decided to send only 300 prisoners to Alipore jail to start with, the D.

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asked to appoint the staff acdg to the actual requirements as and when necessary. A paragraph to this effect has been added to the draft order.

D on p 22 ante.

Action will be taken in this Dept after the order has been issued.

For orders as to circulation with reference.

to C on p 22 ante.

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19.12.40.

The notes at p.19 above contemplated having this ~~xxxff~~ order on staff for Alipuram ready for use when required; since then, Adv.3 has reviewed the po-sition over accomodation for Defence of India prison-ers and has found it necessary to bring Alipuram into use as soon as it is ready, i.e., from the beginning of January. The intention is to use Alipuram for C class ~~prisoners and Trichy (where we have the civil debtors~~ yard available) for A and B class prisoners; this relief to Vellore is very badly needed.

The draft order requires full circulation.

Adv.3. 19.12.40. Relief to Vellore is badly needed, & I hope to get A & B prisoners into Trichy next week. 1/12 Adj.

Adv.1. Lead to be given up as all jails are too full to take the prisoners who would have to be removed from Vizag to make room for D.O.I. prisoners so Alipuram is necessary. The draft may be approved H D C 19/12

Adv.2.

H.E.

Draft approved 20/12/40

AH 20/12

A.H. 21/12/40

HOME SECRETARY

HOME DEPARTMENT.

C.F. 17.

DRAFT FOR APPROVAL.

	Date.	Initials.
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When despatched.		

SUBJECT :—

JAILS - Alipuram Jail - Establishment - Temporary - Sanctioned.

READ AGAIN ....., dated ..... 19....

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READ *ALSO* :—

No. 350390 From the I.G. of Prisons, No. S.3/40, dated 2.12. 1940.

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Order ~~Resolution~~ Ms. **No.** 5256 **dated** 23-12- **19** 40.

The Government sanction the employment of the following staff in the Alipuram jail, Bellary temporarily for a period of one year or til the need for it ceases, which ever is earlier, with effect from the date on which the jail is opened:--

(1) One Superintendent,
(2) one jailor,
(3) one deputy jailor,
(4) one reserve deputy jailor,
(5) one chief head-warder,
(6) one reserve head-warder,
(7) one gate keeper,
9 +4. (8) five first grade warders,
79 +24. (9) fifty-five second grade warde
(10) one sub-assist. surgeon,
(11) one compounder,
A (12) one upper division clerk,
(13) four lower division clerks.

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(14) one wireman in the scale of 28-4/2-36-3/2-45

2. The Alipuram Jail, Bellary will be treated as a Central Jail.

~~P.M.J. 8.12.40~~

3. The staff mentioned in para 1 is sanctioned for a lock up of 600 prisoners. The I.G. is requested to appoint the staff according to the actual requirements as and when necessary.

P.V.J.
19.12.40

P.M.J.
19.12.40.

19.12.40.

To the I.G. of Prisons,
To the A.G. through Finance,
To the Finance Department (2 copies)
Copy to Finance (B.E.IV)

Despatched (2 & one copy)
CMR 23.12.40.

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C.F. 36.

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 16 JAN 1941 HOME DEPT.

JAIL DEPARTMENT. 01262 c 16-1-41

Received ..... 19 *Registered* 19

Subject.

Alipuram Jail, Bellary - Opening of - on 31-12-1940 - Orders solicited.

Ref:- G.O.No.5256 Ms, Home, dated 23-12-1940. ff 28-29 of (I)

ENCLOSURES.
No. .....
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Spare copies .....

Roc. No. 3584/B1/40,

Station Madras, , *Dated the* 15th January 1941.

From (Name) Lieut-Col. S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Inspector-General of Prisons.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
HOME Department.

Sir,

I have to state that the subordinates who were posted to Alipuram Jail reported for duty at Bellary before the Superintendent, Central Jail, Bellary, from 31-12-1940 onwards. But Mr.R.Howe was relieved at Trichinopoly on 9-1-1941 and he is expected to take charge of the Alipuram Jail on or before 15-1-1941. Pending the arrival of Mr.R.Howe, the Superintendent, Central Jail,Bellary, has been conducting the correspondence relating to the Alipuram Jail and the services of the staff of this jail who reported for duty before him were utilised in connection with the preliminary arrangements required for starting the jail. I request that the Government will be pleased to declare

declare the jail to have been opened with effect from 31-12-1940 to enable the Superintendent to draw the pay of the staff from the date on which they joined duty at Bellary.

2. The question of payment of any allowance to the Superintendent, Central Jail.Bellary in charge does not arise, as Mr.I.D'Cruz was looking after only the correspondence etc. relating to the Alipuram Jail till 4-1-1941 and Dr.E.Venkata Rao, Superintendent-in-charge of the Central Jail,Bellary, is attending to the work from 5-1-1941.

3. I solicit early orders.

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For Inspector-Genl.of Prisons.

Tss.15.1.

Home Deptt

Cyo 1260sc. | from the Dy. Officiers Roc no 3584/81/40 dy 15.1.41.

Jails - Alipuram jail - Bellary - Date of opening.

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Please see the Dy's letter in Cf. Whe pp 28-29 of (I) the orders, vide no 5256 Home dy 23.12.40 were issued it was thought that the buildings would be ready for occupatio early in January. Later it was reported that they could be ready only by the last week of January. It was therefore order that prisoners be transferred to that jail on and from 25-1-41. In that Connection, it has been decided that if the staff posted to the Alipuram Jail have already proceeded there to join duty, the period from the date of their arrival there to the date of opening of the jail may be declared to be their joining time to enable the officers to draw their pay for the period. The Dy's proposal in Cf. is for the same purpose. It seems sufficient if the Dy's letter is Communicated to the Accountant General and he be asked to admit the pay of the Officers for the

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period from 31-12-40 till the jail is actually opened. Draft submitted. Finance may see before issue.

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17.1.41

17/1 Hon

17.1.41.

No 1262 C-1 Home
18-1-41

Finance (CSR)

The draft Memo. may be passed and the file returned to Home Dept.

21/1 Hon

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 JAN 1941
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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C.S.R.

Fin no 1828 C&R-1
21-1-41

Home Dept

The draft may issue.

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ASSISTANT SECY.
22 JAN 1941
HOME DEPARTMENT

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Note 7D with
Jo no 5525 Home
dy 23-12-40

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Home Dept

Memo no 1262C/41-2 dy 24-1-41
Jails - Alipuram Jail, Bellary
Pay of staff from date of
Joining - Letter from the Dy.
Inspr of Prisons Roc no 3584/B1/40 dy
15.1.41.

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The letter from the Dy. Inspr of
Prisons cited is communicated
to the Accountant. The A.G.
is informed
that the Alipuram jail will
be deemed to have been
opened from 23-12-40 to enable
the staff who have joined
duty in the jail to draw
their pay.

K.S.
17.1.41

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To the Accountant through the
Finance Dept (aso)
To the Dy Inspr of Prisons. (qso)

17.1.41.

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